



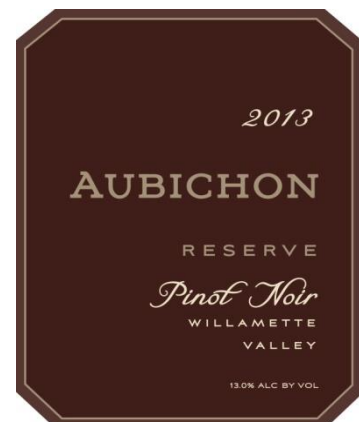
AUBICHON CELLARS

Meticulous, hand-crafted, time-inefficient Willamette Valley winemaking by Jim Sanders since 2007. Centered around friendships and sourced only from select vineyard sites, Aubichon features distinguished small-production Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, and Alsatian-style Pinot Gris from all AVAs of the Willamette Valley. *In a word, Aubichon wines are "artisanal" ...if there is an easy way to do something, chances are we didn't do it that way.* You will benefit from the detailed quality of our labor.

We were proudly selected by Wine Spectator as one of "Eight New Names to Know", January 2015.

2013 Aubichon Reserve Pinot Noir

<i>Winemaker:</i>	Jim Sanders
<i>Vineyards:</i>	75% Le Cadeau (Chehalem Mountains AVA) 25% Armstrong (Ribbon Ridge AVA)
<i>Aging:</i>	11 months in 60% new French oak
<i>Alcohol:</i>	13.0%
<i>Bottling Date:</i>	August 25, 2014
<i>Production:</i>	99 cases (4 barrels)



About the Winemaker: Jim Sanders is the winemaker and a founding partner in Aubichon Cellars. Jim focuses on small production, hand-crafted wines, aged exclusively in top-tier French oak from the finest cooperages in Burgundy. Through 18 vintages in the Willamette Valley, Jim's winemaking portfolio features some of Oregon's most acclaimed wines, including several cuvees of highly rated Pinot Noir from Le Cadeau Vineyard.

91 Points, Vinous/Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar: Suave, expansive aromas of dark berries, cherry-cola and spicecake, along with a sexy potpourri nuance. Fleshy and sweet on the palate, offering concentrated black raspberry and mocha flavors with a touch of bitter cherry pit. Shows excellent clarity and lift on the persistent finish, which is framed by silky, slow-building tannins. –JR